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For: ANCILLARY EQUIPMENT FOR TESTING SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT

Enclosed are:

- [X] An Application Data Sheet.
- [X] Two (2) sheets of formal/informal drawings, Figures 1-2.
- [X] An Assignment of the invention to <u>MATSUSHITA ELECTRIC</u> <u>INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD</u>.
- [X] Certified copy of <u>Japanese</u> application No. 2003-172698 filed on June 18, 2003.
- [X] A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- [X] This application is not entitled to small entity status;
- [] A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- [X] An Information Disclosure Statement.
- [] The Verified English-Language Translation, executed Declaration and Assignment and full filing fees will follow in due course.

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